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WASHINGTON, MAY 3, 1890. BISMARCK SUGGESTS that there are two sides to the labor question. He fears that the effect of the eight-hour agitation and of the discussion of the wage question may discourage employers to such an extent that they will abandon the struggles into which they have been lately forced. This is a view of the subject well worthy of the consideration of the general public, and especially of the labor leaders. Of course, it is not to be presumed that business will be generally abandoned by employers. At the same time, it is proper to keep in mind the fact that capitalists may seek some employment for their money which will not subject them to these frequent labor fights.

SENATOR MITCHELL'S motion for the election of Senators directly by the people will probably win three or four votes in the Senate, and, it may be, fifteen or twenty in the House. The country is not hankering after saddling itself with additional responsibilities. I realizes that that is the business of the Government, and when the Government fails in dealing justly with its charge in this respect then the country gets in its fine work, vigorously energizes the toe of its boot and hoists another party into power. This may not be the best conceivable method of Renresentative Government, but it is the best which we have on hand at pres-

THERE ARE SOME surprisingly tender consciences among members of Congress. For instance, Mr. Sayers of Texas and Mr. Bland of Missouri have covered into the Treasury the money due them from the Silcott defalcation and which the Court of Claims held the Government should refund to them. It is understood that there are some other Congressmen who propose to pursue the same course. Yet the tender-conscienced gentlemen named did not hesitate yesterday to vote in favor of stealing the literary property of aliens, Verily, some consciences work queerly.

A MILWAUKEE woman was compelled at a recent fire to jump from a third-story window with her babe in her arms. There must have been something wrong about the woman, the babe or the fire-escape. To decide the point requires further information.

IT SEEMS THAT the Chinese Exclusion act does not exclude Chinamen from entering into the United States and into business in their usual industrious manner. They come by way of Canada and Mexico and will continue to come regardless of restrictions Chinamen are built that way.

MURAT HALSTEAD, accused of opposing the re-election of Senator Evarts, says he is an admirer of Mr. Evarts' serenity, and everybody is puzzled. The peculiar bearing of the remark is evidently in the application of it.

None of the workingmen who paraded yesterday in Hyde Park, London, displayed a red flag. This was in excellent taste. They bore white flags, and we suppose a similar programme was followed at Berlin and Vienna.

OF THE IMMIGRANTS to this country more Italians go back to their native land than those of any other nationality. They come in the early spring, work through the summer and fall and go Lack to their picturesque villages among the hills without thought of the trustful maiden left behind and the natural con-

A NORWEGIAN statistician says marriage increases the death-rate among women and decreases it among men. This is a new view of the matter.

a rule a contrary opinion has prevailed. It has been supposed that women fared well in marriage and that men were slowly but surely killed out-

THE BRUNSWICK (Me.) Telegraph gives an instance of the ruling passion strong in death. The spire of the Main Street Baptist Church fell recently. Instead of falling to the ground, as was expected, the spire went into the cistern, and the joke passed very readily

around: "Baptist to the last." naturally wants to know how they can be explained. Under some circumstances the policy of silence is of great value. But where personal character and action are properly, directly and conspicuously in question, the policy which makes silence golden would seem at this time to issue its currency to the world in a much baser metal.

GEORGE KENNAN, who has been ac cused of exaggerating stories of Siberian atrocities, said last Wednesday at Philadelphia that he would meet the charges made against him at the Prison Congress to be held by and by at St. Petersburg, if the Russian government would allow him to call the necessary witnesses. The proposition seems fair, and the call is now on the Russian author

RAPID TRANSIT IS becoming the burning question of our larger cities. So far as Washington is concerned, this fact is duly recognized in the multiplicity of bills, which Congress has under consideration, for the transportation of the crowds of this city from one point to another. All the improvements and appliances known to science

have been called into requisition, and not cable roads alone, but electric roads of all kinds as well are to be pressed into service. A new force, known as compressed air, is likely to take a leading place as a motive power, While, therefore, the problem of rapid transit in our cities is an important one, it is not likely to lack speedy and satisfactory solution.

LORD RANDOLPH CHURCHILL WILL not be extinguished. His enemies are anxious to accomplish the job, but he objects. The Tory party has, on more than one occasion, tried to read himout. But he comes up smiling every time. Mr. Goschen's budget speech startled all the English speaking world in regard to the extent of English drinking. And all at once Lord Randolph goes cheerfully to the front with his bill to check drunkenness in England by high license and local option,

ENGLISH DISCONTENT in the Transvasl will probably be allayed by the completion of the Delagoa Bay Railroad. Transportation of supplies and machinery from the coast has been slow and expensive. The opening of the railroad to traffic will stimulate immigration and will aid in the development of a rich mineral territory.

BUT IT IS THE salient feature of Mr Reed's statesmanship that his views of national policy and even of constitutional questions are shaped by his estimate of the party advantage,-Pittsburg Dispatch.

Will the Dispatch kindly name some man in active public life now, or in the past, whose "views of national policy and even of constitutional questions' are not "shaped by his estimate of the party advantage?" Even Thomas Jefferson, strict constitutionalist that he was, as President, stretched the Constitution until it cracked whenever "his estimate of the party advantage" required it to be done

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It is the only neutral district in the Union and belongs alike to the people of the whole country regardless of section, poll-tics, religion or any of the peculiarities or isms that to a more or less extent shape the sentiment of all other localities in the coun-It is the favorite place in the United

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A Characteristic Act. Charleston News and Courler. The Democratic Senators from Montana have been counted out of their seats by a strict party vote. It was not to be expected that the party which stole the Presidency in 1876, which bought the Presidency in 1888, and which has overriddenall Parliamentary precedents and constitutional law in building up a majority in the House of Representatives, would hesitate to steal two scats in the United States Senate.



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